

ABSTRACT:

A solo-interactive animal toy invention comprised of multiple-aspected instinctual attractants. An openwork mobile structure comprised of freely moving rods and plural toys which may be suspended at a level to which an animal ascends for accessible play. Intentional or happenstance action on any part activates transmission of motion through individual parts and the three-dimensional whole, enacting various complex and simple movement styles and formations attractive to a cat. Movements of individual toy-attractants occur simultaneously with overall movement of extended aerial form. When activated, different styles of movement alternate with self-perpetuating rotations. Alternating overlapping pathways among attractants/toys provide for reflex and choice by the cat as to which prey to pursue and when. This cat or other animal toy provides for enduring interest and play. It provides physical exercise and use of instinctual problem solving. It is convenient to humans in various circumstances and environmentally friendly.